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Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D. C. 20554

In the matter of)
Amendment of Section 73.202 (b),) MB Docket No. _____
Table of Allotments)
FM Broadcast Stations) RM- _____
(Silver Springs, Nevada))

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

1. Dana J. Puopolo ("Petitioner") respectfully requests the Commission initiate a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of considering amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules. In support whereof the following is stated:

2. Petitioner proposes the Commission allot FM channel 273C to Silver Springs, Nevada as its first local FM service. This would require amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

<u>Community</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Silver Springs, Nevada	-	273C

3. Silver Springs is a Census Designated Place located in Lyon County, Nevada. In 2000, the United States Census Bureau estimated Silver Springs had a population of 4,708 persons.

4. FM channel 273C can be assigned to Silver Springs in full compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements. Coordinates used are N 39:30:00, W 118:40:48 and are located approximately 47 Km east of Silver Springs. This site restriction is necessary to prevent short spacings to stations KWWL, S. Lake Tahoe, NV and KRNV-FM, Reno, NV. Petitioner is confident he can find a suitable transmitter site for this allotment if it is assigned as proposed.

5. Petitioner, or an entity with which he is affiliated, intends to apply for a construction permit to activate channel 273C if it is assigned to Silver Springs as proposed. If his application is granted, he shall promptly construct and operate the proposed station.

6. Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are his, and are accurate to the best of his knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,



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silver springs 273C

FM spacing study channel 273C, Silver Springs, NV
at: 39° 30' 00" Latitude, 118° 40' 48" Longitude

CHAN	FREQ	CALL	LOCATION		DIST	REQ	CLEAR
270B	101.9	KCCL-FM	SHINGLE SPRINGS	CA US	208	105	103
271C2	102.1	KHJQ	SUSANVILLE	CA US	193	105	88
271C3	102.1	KRNV-FM	RENO	NV US	97	96	1
272A	102.3	KJSN	MODESTO	CA US	281	165	116
273B	102.5	KSFM	WOODLAND	CA US	282	274	8
274C2	102.7	KLVB-FM	RED BLUFF	CA US	295	188	107
275C	102.9	KWYL	SOUTH LAKE TAHOE	CA US	106	105	1
276B1	103.1	KAAT	OAKHURST	CA US	242	105	137

Notes:

All distances are in kilometers.

Only stations learing by less that 150 km are shown.

Silver Springs CDP
2000 pop. 4708
First service

